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Sir:


The references cited on attached form PTO-SB/08 are being called to the attention of the Examiner, to make of record references cited in parent application USSN 09/978,917 filed October 17, 2001. Also attached is a copy of International Search Report for corresponding International Application No. PCT/DK01/00679.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.98(d), copies of the references cited on the attached form PTO-SB/08 previously submitted in parent application USSN 09/978,917 filed October 17, 2001 are not provided herein. However, Applicants will gladly provide fresh copies of any references requested by the Examiner. It is respectfully requested that the cited information on the PTO-SB/08 form previously submitted in the parent application be expressly considered during the prosecution of the instant application, and the references be made of record therein and appear among the "references cited" on any patent to issue therefrom.

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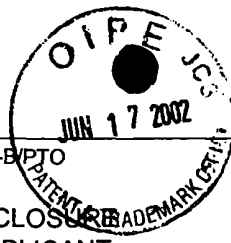
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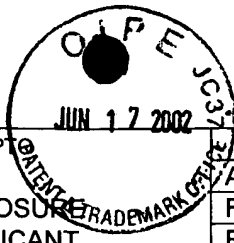
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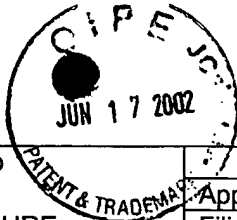


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